

QUALITY OF SURFACE WATER

LAKE TAHOE BASIN

Water-quality measurements in the following table were made in cooperation with the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency in the Lake Tahoe Basin to monitor nutrient and sediment concentrations. Samples were analyzed by the University of California, Davis, Tahoe Research Group. Quality-assurance samples are defined in the introductory text section titled "Water Quality-Control Data."

WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2003 TO SEPTEMBER 2004

Station number	Station name	Date	Time	Sample type	Instantaneous discharge, cfs (00061)	Barometric pressure, mm Hg (00025)
10336580	UPPER TRUCKEE RIVER AT SOUTH UPPER TRUCKEE ROAD NEAR MEYERS, CA	08-03-04 08-03-04	1610 1615	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	3.4 --	-- --
103366092	UPPER TRUCKEE RIVER AT HIGHWAY 50 ABOVE MEYERS, CA	08-03-04 08-03-04	1350 1355	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	7.1 --	-- --
10336610	UPPER TRUCKEE RIVER AT SOUTH LAKE TAHOE, CA	08-03-04 08-03-04	1120 1125	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	6.7 --	-- --
10336645	GENERAL CREEK NEAR MEEKS BAY, CA	08-16-04 08-16-04	1815 1820	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	.84 --	609 609
10336660	BLACKWOOD CREEK NEAR TAHOE CITY, CA	08-16-04 08-16-04	1715 1720	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	2.1 --	609 609
10336674	WARD CREEK BELOW CONFLUENCE NEAR TAHOE CITY, CA	08-16-04 08-16-04	1400 1405	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	.46 --	-- --
10336676	WARD CREEK AT HIGHWAY 89 NEAR TAHOE PINES, CA	08-16-04 08-16-04	1600 1605	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	1.0 --	610 610
10336698	THIRD CREEK NEAR CRYSTAL BAY, NV	08-02-04 08-02-04	1535 1540	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	1.4 --	-- --
103366993	INCLINE CREEK ABOVE TYROL VILLAGE NEAR INCLINE VILLAGE, NV	08-02-04 08-02-04	1100 1105	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	1.7 --	-- --
103366995	INCLINE CREEK AT HIGHWAY 28 AT INCLINE VILLAGE, NV	08-02-04 08-02-04	1240 1245	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	2.1 --	-- --
10336700	INCLINE CREEK NEAR CRYSTAL BAY, NV	08-02-04 08-02-04	1405 1410	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	3.0 --	-- --
10336730	GLENBROOK CREEK AT GLENBROOK, NV	08-05-04 08-05-04	1705 1710	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	.11 --	-- --
10336740	LOGAN HOUSE CREEK NEAR GLENBROOK, NV	08-04-04 08-04-04	1635 1640	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	.04 --	-- --
103367592	EAGLE ROCK CREEK NEAR STATELINE, NV	08-05-04 08-05-04	1405 1410	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	.42 --	-- --
10336760	EDGEWOOD CREEK AT STATELINE, NV	08-05-04 08-05-04	1100 1105	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	1.7 --	-- --
10336770	TROUT CREEK AT U.S. FOREST SERVICE ROAD 12N01 NEAR MEYERS, CA	08-04-04 08-04-04	1440 1445	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	4.7 --	-- --
10336775	TROUT CREEK AT PIONEER TRAIL NEAR SOUTH LAKE TAHOE CA	08-04-04 08-04-04	1240 1245	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	6.7 --	-- --
10336790	TROUT CREEK AT SOUTH LAKE TAHOE, CA	08-04-04 08-04-04	1100 1105	Environmental <b>Replicate</b>	14 --	-- --

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Date	Dis- solved oxygen, mg/L (00300)	Specif. conduc- tance, wat unfl- uS/cm 25 degC (00095)	Temper- ature, air, deg C (00020)	Temper- ature, water, deg C (00010)	Ammonia + org-N, water, fltrd, mg/L as N (00623)	Ammonia + org-N, water, unfltrd mg/L as N (00625)	Ammonia water, fltrd, mg/L as N (00608)	Ammonia water, unfltrd mg/L as N (00610)	<sup>1</sup> Nitrite + nitrate water fltrd, mg/L as N (00631)	<sup>1</sup> Nitrite + nitrate water unfltrd mg/L as N (00630)	Ortho- phos- phate, water, fltrd, mg/L as P (00671)	Ortho- phos- phate, water, unfltrd mg/L as P (70507)	Phos- phorus, water, fltrd, mg/L (00666)
08-03-04	--	50	21.5	13.5	--	.11	.004	--	.022	--	.021	--	.040
08-03-04	--	50	--	--	--	.09	.003	--	.021	--	.021	--	.039
08-03-04	--	91	22.5	18.5	--	.12	.004	--	.007	--	.004	--	.024
08-03-04	--	91	--	--	--	.13	.006	--	.006	--	.004	--	.024
08-03-04	--	99	17.0	16.0	--	.13	.003	--	.022	--	.004	--	.025
08-03-04	--	99	--	--	--	.17	.003	--	.024	--	.004	--	.025
08-16-04	6.8	57	20.8	16.5	--	.11	.003	--	.008	--	.022	--	.025
08-16-04	6.8	57	20.8	16.5	--	.16	.003	--	.008	--	.021	--	.025
08-16-04	7.8	69	21.8	18.0	--	.10	.004	--	.005	--	.010	--	.015
08-16-04	7.8	69	21.8	18.0	--	.12	.004	--	.004	--	.010	--	.015
08-16-04	--	43	--	16.0	--	.07	.003	--	.006	--	.004	--	.010
08-16-04	--	43	--	16.0	--	.07	.005	--	.006	--	.004	--	.009
08-16-04	8.2	69	23.0	19.0	--	.11	.005	--	.006	--	.008	--	.013
08-16-04	8.2	69	23.0	19.0	--	.11	.005	--	.006	--	.008	--	.013
08-02-04	--	66	19.0	13.5	--	.09	.004	--	.014	--	.012	--	.023
08-02-04	--	66	--	--	--	.09	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
08-02-04	--	38	14.5	7.5	--	.12	.003	--	.016	--	.012	--	.023
08-02-04	--	38	--	--	--	.10	.004	--	.015	--	.011	--	.024
08-02-04	--	49	19.0	10.5	--	.12	.005	--	.019	--	.011	--	.021
08-02-04	--	49	--	--	--	.10	.006	--	.019	--	.011	--	.023
08-02-04	--	83	21.0	12.0	--	.12	.004	--	.023	--	.011	--	.025
08-02-04	--	83	--	--	--	.11	.004	--	.023	--	.011	--	.025
08-05-04	--	520	20.5	12.5	--	.62	.007	--	.025	--	.012	--	.031
08-05-04	--	520	--	--	--	.44	.006	--	.026	--	.011	--	.033
08-04-04	--	157	21.0	9.5	--	.08	.003	--	.019	--	.002	--	.016
08-04-04	--	157	--	--	--	.11	.003	--	.018	--	.002	--	.015
08-05-04	--	55	21.0	9.3	.05	.11	.005	.009	.025	.025	.017	.02	.029
08-05-04	--	55	--	--	.08	.12	.004	.009	.026	.025	.018	.02	.027
08-05-04	--	96	18.0	12.0	--	.17	.004	--	.014	--	.011	--	.024
08-05-04	--	96	--	--	--	.19	.004	--	.015	--	.012	--	.024
08-04-04	--	51	17.5	9.0	--	.08	.003	--	.006	--	.010	--	.025
08-04-04	--	51	--	--	--	.08	.003	--	.007	--	.010	--	.025
08-04-04	--	54	21.5	14.0	--	.08	.006	--	.003	--	.009	--	.023
08-04-04	--	54	--	--	--	.08	.003	--	.003	--	.009	--	.025
08-04-04	--	50	20.5	12.5	--	.20	.003	--	.004	--	.011	--	.021
08-04-04	--	50	--	--	--	.16	.004	--	.005	--	.010	--	.022

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Date	Phos- phorus, water, unfltrd mg/L (00665)	Iron (bio reac- tive), water, unfltrd ug/L (46568)	Sus- pended sedi- ment concen- tration mg/L (80154)	Sus- pended sedi- ment dis- charge, tons/d (80155)
08-03-04	.049	--	1	.01
08-03-04	.048	--	--	--
08-03-04	.027	--	3	.06
08-03-04	.030	--	--	--
08-03-04	.031	--	3	.05
08-03-04	.031	--	--	--
08-16-04	.032	--	2	<.01
08-16-04	.033	--	--	--
08-16-04	.018	--	1	.01
08-16-04	.021	--	--	--
08-16-04	.010	--	1	<.01
08-16-04	.012	--	--	--
08-16-04	.016	--	1	<.01
08-16-04	.016	--	--	--
08-02-04	.032	--	4	.02
08-02-04	.032	--	--	--
08-02-04	.032	--	5	.02
08-02-04	.029	--	--	--
08-02-04	.035	--	3	.02
08-02-04	.038	--	--	--
08-02-04	.044	--	7	.06
08-02-04	.046	--	--	--
08-05-04	.134	--	18	.01
08-05-04	.129	--	--	--
08-04-04	.025	--	2	<.01
08-04-04	.027	--	--	--
08-05-04	.052	260	9	.01
08-05-04	.051	234	--	--
08-05-04	.037	--	3	.01
08-05-04	.035	--	--	--
08-04-04	.026	--	3	.04
08-04-04	.026	--	--	--
08-04-04	.028	--	2	.04
08-04-04	.027	--	--	--
08-04-04	.038	--	10	.38
08-04-04	.036	--	--	--

Remark codes used in this table:

< -- Less than

<sup>1</sup> --Hydrazine method used to determine nitrate plus nitrite concentrations was found to have interferences caused by other common ions in water samples. Values may be adjusted in the future to correct these interferences.